

# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, On Friday, May 15, 1931, the first ever Award Day was held at Highmore High School; and,

WHEREAS, On Thursday evening, May 21, 1931, Valedictorian Opal Hanson and Salutatorian Ted Lee led the graduating class in ceremonies at the gymnasium; and,

WHEREAS, In the half century since that long-ago spring, the members of the Class of '31 have never forgotten the enthusiasm and loyalty for the Red and White of the Highmore Pirates; and,

WHEREAS, The members of the Class of '31 have always followed the inspiring message of their class motto: "Climb, Though The Rocks May Be Rugged!"; and,

WHEREAS, The members of the Class of '31 are gathering together again for their 50th reunion in Highmore on June 20; and,


WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to recognize publicly the memorable events in the lives of South Dakotans:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, June 20, 1981, as

#### HIGHMORE CLASS OF '31 REUNION DAY

in South Dakota, and I personally commend the members of the class for remembering that our past will always be part of our future.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eleventh Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-One

  
WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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